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May you rule us long,
And leave us rulers of your blood
As noble till the latest day!
May children of our children say,
"She wrought her people lasting good;
Her court was pure; her life serene;
God gave her peace; her land reposed;
A thousand claims to reverence closed
In her as Mother, Wife, and Queen;

—Courtesy, Winnipeg Free Press.

And statesmen at her council met
Who knew the seasons when to take
Occasion by the hand, and make
The bounds of freedom wider yet
By shaping some august decree,
Which kept her throne unshaken still,
Broad-based upon her people's will,
And compass'd by the inviolate sea."

From "To the Queen," by Lord Tennyson

LAC LA BICHE NEWS BRIEFS

The New Lac la Biche Hotel Limited changed hands recently.

Mr. Steve Babych sold his interests in the hotel to Wally Gordichuk and George Temchuk while Mr. W. Gordichuk will continue his ownership.

Mr. George Temchuk and his wife and two children, originally from Andrew, will be residing in Lac la Biche.

Mr. Steve Babych and family are at present undecided as to what they will do, but they will remain in Lac la Biche until the end of the school term.

Mr. Martin Heine from Yellowknife, N.W.T., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ewanchuk, at Big Bay.

Lac la Biche Canadian Delhi well No. 1, located thirty-five miles northeast of the town of Lac la Biche, have a good road

all the way from town to the well. The well has been drilled 814 feet.

On February 5th Roy McBeth was fined \$15.00 and costs in police court by Magistrate M. Maccagno for causing a disturbance in the Lac la Biche Hotel on January 19, 1952.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nykluchuk, from Edmonton, visited Mrs. Nykluchuk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Strimbiski, for three days, returning with their two sons, Kennie age five and Brian age three, who have been staying with their grandparents for the past six months.

Medhurst Drilling, located 26 miles north of here, was shut down for three days while waiting for repairs. They are down 450 feet.

Mrs. C. Page, from Edmonton, will be here for ten days demonstrating Beauty Counselor.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Brownley visited friends for the past week.

Mr. H. J. Von Lee from Van-

couver, visited his sister enroute to Fort Smith.

Three carloads of pipe have arrived here from Vancouver for the water system. They expect to start work in the spring.

Ted Mackriss is driving a 1952 Pontiac.

Mr. Henry Alberts returned from Edmonton where he had a major operation. He is now doing nicely.

Miss Marline and Eddie Moisey, from Andrew, is visiting their brother, Con Moisey and family.

Mr. McElwain returned home after spending some time at the University Hospital in Edmonton for treatment.

Johnnie and Jack Andriuk, from Andrew, visited Con Moisey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Boniface Bourque from Yellowknife, N.W.T., visited

Mr. Bourque's sister, Mrs. F. A. Coutney and family, also Mrs. Mary Messier and daughter

Writer Lauds Municipal Paper Plan; Criticizes Location Municipal Office

BOYLE — A resident of the Boyle district has written to say that "We appreciate getting the Municipal news in the Boyle Beacon as, without the paper, we would not know what is going on."

However, having approved council's action in providing for a municipal paper, this same writer, who wishes to remain anonymous, says the new municipal office should be located at Boyle instead of Colinton.

T. W. Pue, Publisher of the Colinton Clipper, Boyle Beacon and Lac la Biche Herald, pointed out that the two suggested sites for the new office—Athabasca or Colinton—were properly suggested by the Council, the duly elected representatives of the people, and whereas either location may not be ideal it will be up to the people to decide. The Council has made every provision for the voice of the people to be heard by calling for a plebiscite on the question.

In fairness to our readers, and because we feel that in a democratic community any section of opinion is entitled to be heard, the following letter is published in full as it was sent to us by our correspondent, who wishes to remain anonymous:

The old saying is "You can fool some of the people some of the time, a lot of the people a lot of the time, but not all the people all the time."

Our case points to a recent article published in the Boyle Beacon. Someone tells us the councillors of our Municipality are putting out a plebiscite. The first question asked on this plebiscite is "Do you want to spend \$15,000 on a new Municipal building?" The second question is "Do you want the building in Colinton or Athabasca?"

The question should read, in my opinion, "Should we spend more money on Municipal Buildings?" You, of course, know that recently our present office got a very nice overhaul.

The second question in mind should read, "Do you want to buy Whitley's Garage in Colinton, or do you want to build a Town Hall for Athabasca?"

We, the people of Boyle, Donatville, Grassland, Blue Jay, Gourin, Atmore, Frains, Prosperity and Ellscoff must take notice immediately. "Who is going to build for whom?"

This seems to be the second round of who shall be the goat. The first round failed two years ago when we broke away from the Municipal Hospital District, which has resulted in better service, less taxes, and a year ending bank reserve.

Let us have a better look at this picture for a while. What would be the sense of building in Colinton, which is only five miles from the present location? There, we have no banking service, and at present such service from Meannook costs the ratepayers \$500 per year.

Again, "Why should we build an office in Athabasca, from whom we derive not one cent of taxation money? It should be

Denice, from Edmonton, visited her sister, Mrs. Coutney. Mrs. Pomerleau of Edmonton, also a sister, visited Mrs. Coutney and family.

Mr. Ed. Grillits returned from Calgary, where he spent a few days.

enough that we are now paying for their school. You may not know that they are only taxed on land and improvements, while we stand the biggest share of the load through personal property taxation.

Do you know what they are offering us this time? One free lot in exchange for a chance to build a town hall under the same roof as the Municipal Office. Besides this, they can tax the municipal part of this property, and help keep up their side of the building with this money. It's very nice business, isn't it?

They just couldn't consider putting Boyle on this plebiscite. "It's not the centre," they say.

Well, sir, just have a look at that map, and see for yourself the distance from township 69 to Athabasca. This is a distance of 62 miles to Athabasca, and fifty-four miles to Colinton. How many people from as heavily populated district as that would have to go that far to an office situated in Boyle? If you can tell me, let me know about it.

It seems Divisions 1 and 6 are not wanted, and it's high time to let the West know we may like to have something to say in this matter. We are over 3,000 people with higher assessments than all the rest. Are we just supposed to lay down and take it, or are we alive?

You may say "What makes the difference, as long as we have a Municipal Office?" That's just what the little boy said, when his mother sent him to the grocery store to buy a bottle of extract of beef. He came home with a bottle of milk.

(Signed)

DISGUSTED.

FRAINS NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. Ustina is back from the hospital after a few days' illness. Bill Chernachyn is in the Lac la Biche hospital.

Mrs. Peter Letwin is on her holidays. She is visiting her parents at Hollow Lake.

A community dance will be held in Frains Community hall on Feb. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sawchuk and family were visiting his brother Tony last week-end.

Billy Letwin from Weasel Creek is here visiting his brother, Peter.

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EDITORIALS

Democracy in Action

Saturday, February 16 is an important date for rural residents of Alberta. On that date ratepayers of each municipal district meet in an annual get-together to nominate candidates for the March municipal elections and to discuss the business of the municipality.

From the discussions and motions at annual ratepayers' meetings, the secretary, reeve and councillors get a more or less clear understanding of what is the will of their constituents.

For ratepayers to be able to intelligently discuss the vital matters of essential municipal business, some municipal district councils have arranged for a weekly municipal paper, carrying news, minutes of meetings and advertising of the municipal district council, to every ratepayer. Wherever this system has been given a fair trial, it has proven highly popular with the people, and is of inestimable value to the local governing body in keeping ratepayers informed of their own municipal business.

We urge all ratepayers who can, to attend their annual municipal meeting and take part in "democracy in action."

Meyer Should Be Released

All the recent hub-bub concerning Kurt Meyer being found in his home with his family looks to us like a put-up job by The Canadian Press to embarrass the prison authorities in Germany and perhaps the Canadian government which holds those authorities responsible for Meyer's security.

If the Canadian court which tried Meyer found him guilty, beyond doubt of murder, then he should have been given the death penalty in keeping with our Canadian laws. We don't agree that capital punishment is the solution even in cases of civilian homicide, however, and much less can be said for it after a war when all sides indulged in the art of killing. Just the same, if Meyer was legally subject to the order of our courts, and if found guilty of murder he should have been hanged. But if there was a doubt about it, he should have been released.

But as we chose to sentence him to life imprisonment we had our choice of keeping him here or turning him over to German prison authorities. We took the latter course and now because some nosey Canadian Press reporter found the man at home on leave, in accordance with German prison rules, we raise a big fuss.

Let's not be vindictive in our dealings with a fallen foe. Let's not be childish in handing out justice. Meyer should be released and, as has been suggested by experienced Canadian veterans, put to work building up a strong German army in defence of the West.

Note and Comment

After nearly a quarter-of-a-century with the Federal Department of Agriculture, Jack Byers has retired. Well known to livestock men throughout Canada and particularly to ranchers and stockmen in the West, he was employed as Supervisor of Livestock Production. At a gathering in Ottawa recently, Rt. Hon. James G. Gardiner, Minister of Agriculture, paid tribute to Mr. Byers and spoke in appreciation of his work over many years. On behalf of his fellow workers, the minister presented Mr. Byers with a radio. Mrs. Byers was the recipient of a piece of jewelry.

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J. Leland Gourley, publisher of the Henryetta (Oklahoma) Free-Lance, tried an experiment recently to see if people "just naturally have indigestion these days, or whether the stuff this paper prints is as lousy as some folks say it is."

He ran a passage of Scripture as an editorial on page one. Sure enough, a subscriber called and complained: "About that editorial on the front page . . . I don't agree . . ."

The writer was politely told: "Get in touch with Jesus Christ to register your complaint, He wrote it."

The Bible Today:

Faith affirms what the senses do not affirm, but not the contrary of what they perceive. It is above, and not contrary to.—Blaise Pascal.

A New Era In Agriculture

At the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, there was a demonstration of a synthetic chemical named Krillium, that converts non-productive into productive soil in a matter of hours instead of years or generations required by present methods. Krillium is not a fertilizer but a soil conditioner which restores the physical structure of the soil to the proper consistency, thus enabling plants to get the proper amount of oxygen, water and nutrients from the soil.

This development marks the beginning of a revolutionary era in agriculture. It is conceivable that in the distant future deserts may be turned into rich farm land. Old worn-out land may become farm frontiers.

Unfortunately, Krillium is still in the development stage and will not be on the market in substantial quantities before 1953. It is expected, however, that one pound of Krillium will cost around two dollars and that it will have essentially the same effect on soil structure as five hundred pounds of commercial compost, which sells at about two and one-half cents a pound.

In view of the fact that communism thrives among people who live on soils that no longer produce enough food to support them, we feel that this new synthetic soil conditioner may prove to be a very effective weapon in the fight against communism.

How the East Escapes

The Winnipeg Free Press explains how most of the 62 per cent increase in freight rates since 1948 is borne by the people of the prairie provinces of Western Canada.

In the east the railways must meet competitive freight rates from water and truck competition. As a result, according to the Free Press, out of the Canadian Pacific Railway total traffic of \$347,525,624 per year \$114,290,183, almost entirely in the east, is totally exempted from percentage increases. The full weight of the increases falls upon \$203,058,829 of traffic, most of which is either in Western Canada or chargeable to western consumers. Exactly the same conditions apply to the Canadian National Railways.

Skiping Sessions

Women teachers are usually the first to rush to the city at convention time, yet many are notably absent from sessions. In this, they can't altogether be blamed. Some convention speakers are notoriously dull—and the big department stores are all aglitter with new frocks, hats and lingerie. Even just plain old-fashioned window shopping is more interesting than the liveliest discussion on modern methods of education.

While covering a teachers' convention for her newspaper, the Buffalo (N.Y.) Evening News recently, Sue Fruchtbaum, a girl news-hound, got this advice from one of the women delegates from a rural school. "When you've been attending these sessions as long as I have, Dearie, you won't take so many notes. Why don't you go out shopping? You can read all about it in the newspapers."

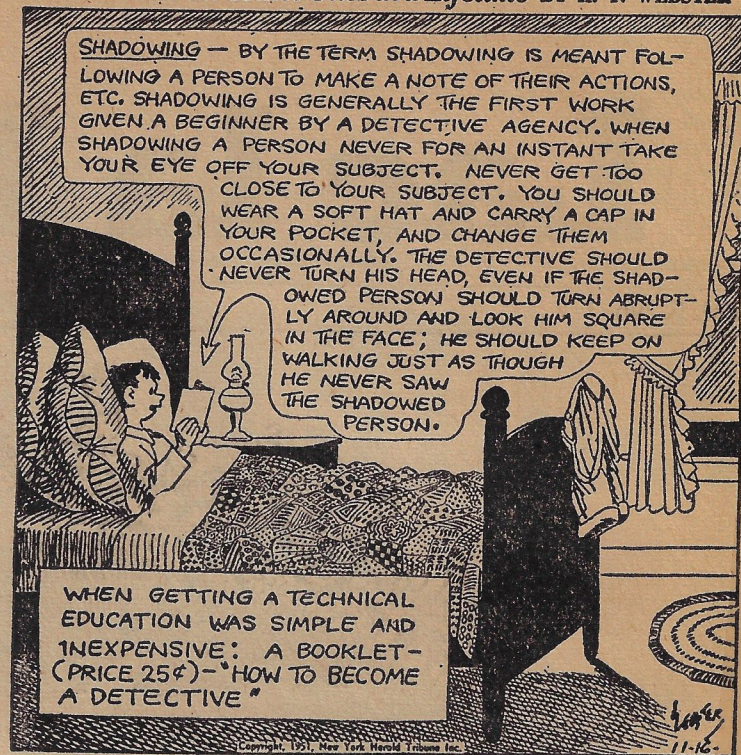
Where Wild Geese Go

Despite hunters' tales to the contrary, the year 1951 saw an increase in numbers of ducks, geese and brant migrating all across the country. The four aerial channels most migratory birds follow were used by larger flights of birds last year than in several years.

Many of the birds using these routes fly non-stop for thousands of miles. The Arctic tern seems to be the champion distance migrator. He leaves islands rimming the Arctic Sea, crosses the ocean to Europe, flies down the West African coast and returns in spring via South America. Others travel similar distances.

Despite progress tracing migratory routes, no one has yet established how these remarkable birds navigate the same course year after year. American and Canadian geologists have definitely determined, however, that the migratory population of these birds increased in 1951, despite all claims to the contrary by frustrated duck and geese hunters.

The Thrill That Comes Once in a Lifetime BY H. T. WEBSTER



Voice of the People

"VOX POPULI, VOX DEI"

AGAINST GAS EXPORT

Export of natural gas is a question of major importance in Alberta at the beginning of 1952.

Apart from the fabulous wealth in oil discoveries of the past three years, Alberta is fast becoming an important industrial centre. Natural gas is the first factor in decisions for the location of many large industries. At the first of January, 1952, Canadian Industries Limited, Sherritt Gordon Limited, Canadian Chemicals Limited and Building Products Limited have each acquired sites for erection of plants, several of which are already under construction.

If natural gas is to be piped to the west coast, would such industrial ventures choose coastal rather than prairie advantages? Should oil and natural gas be piped east, refineries at different locations could provide the by-products for industrial development anywhere. The decision could be for Fort William rather than Edmonton—for Winnipeg instead of Wainwright. Natural gas is the factor.

The decision is one of vital importance in 1952.

South Edmonton. CITIZEN.

REMORSE

I once had a happy and contented married life, and like so many others I didn't know when I was well off. Why I ever called her what I did, I'll never know. All I know is that I would do almost anything to have her back again.

SINCEREST.

ENJOYS THE PAPER

Find enclosed (\$2.00) two dollars to cover cost of subscription renewal for your paper for one (1) year, to Jan. 19, 1953.

Thank you very much, we really enjoy reading your paper.

10465 147 St., G. R. PROWSE, Edmonton.

ANSWER TO "ROSARY"

Dear Sir—Here's my reply to Voice writer from Redwater:

Hebrews 10, 11, 12: "And every priest standeth daily administering and offering oftentimes the same sacrifices which can never take away sins. But this man (Jesus) after He had offered one sacrifice for sins forever, sat down on the right hand of God." The great sacrifice has been made. The blood has been shed; the price paid. It is complete. Jesus said, "It is finished." Jesus paid it all on the cross.

"REBUTTAL."

Morrin, Alta.

HORSE HAZARDS

One of our neighbors has been unfortunate enough to be tied up with a law-suit regarding a truck, which was damaged when it collided with his horse.

It is unfortunate that one out of the community should become involved with the law over a horse on the road, when nearly all of us are at some time or other owners of straying horses.

It is difficult in the winter to keep horses within bounds, but we should all remember that it is our duty to keep our livestock off the road; for in these days of rapid travel livestock are a menace to every passing motorist.

PETER A. FANE DE SALIS, South Edmonton.

Livestock Marketings Down At Edmonton Stockyards

(From THE EDMONTON SUN)

Livestock marketings at the Edmonton Stockyards for the year 1951 were quite sharply reduced from the previous year, although values continued to share slightly higher returns.

The grand total of all classes of livestock handled through the Edmonton public market was 282,583 head with an approximate value of \$35,884,610.63.

Total livestock receipts were decreased by 78,990 head or 21.8%. Values were increased by \$1,316,296.00, or 3.8% above last year.

Decreased Marketings of different species are as follows:

Cattle 27,067 or 21% less
Calves 15,115 or 39.4% less
Hogs 32,355 or 19.1% less
Sheep 4,106 or 17.7% less
Horses 347 or 14.2% less

Comparative Values of the different species are as follows:

	1951	1950
Cattle	\$25,516,637.73	\$24,009,939
Calves	2,315,913.80	2,256,341
Hogs	7,443,451.40	7,789,309
Sheep	545,792.20	463,131
Horses	61,015.50	47,794
Totals	\$35,882,810.63	\$34,566,514

The highest price for the year was established on the 19th of June, when a small lot of choice steers was sold to a local packer through the auction at \$36.50 per cwt. This created an all time record for a commercial sale of cattle on the Edmonton stockyards.

Spotlight on . . .

ALBERTA

A News Section About Alberta People

Week Ending Feb. 16, 1952

SOUTH EDMONTON CREAMERY WINS DOUBLE TROPHY AWARD

The South Edmonton Creamery at last week's Dairy-men's Association meeting in Edmonton, won both the Aubrey Duclos challenge trophy for highest percentage of first grade butter in the federal grading year, and the Royal Bank (Edmonton) trophy for the highest percentage scoring 93 or more.

Birds Like Alberta Winter

MORRIN—Mr. Peder Notland reports seeing a robin in his yard on New Year's Eve, and said it was still there. He also said that four blackbirds were around his place until Christmas, and a meadow lark was seen on Sunday, Jan. 13. Mr. Mel Johnson and Mr. B. G. Davidson have robins around their yards. Mr. Notland claims the birds seem to have the same idea as Captain Kurt Carlsen (captain of the Flying Enterprise) to stay right with it until the end.

Veterinarian Makes Country Calls By Air

DRUMHELLER — Veterinarian George S. Peppin, bogged down by drifted side roads recently took to the air to complete calls in the Drumheller district.

Peppin covered 300 miles in a flight of 3½ hours and treated farm animals at Pollockville, Hanna and eastern points.

The trip would have taken 1½ days by car at the peak of the "good road" season.



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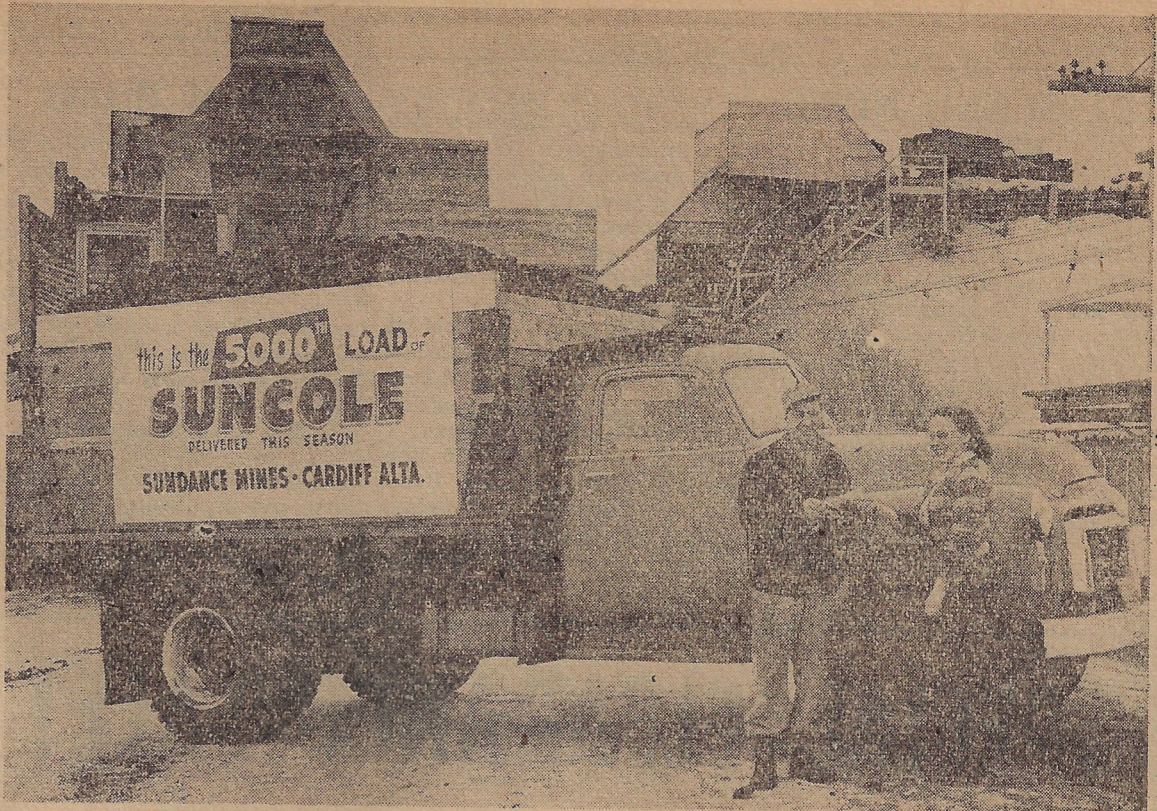
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ON JANUARY 28 the 5,000th load of coal to go out from the Sundance Mines since September, was taken out by Mr. J. S. Cebulik of Warspite, Alta. In the above picture may be seen Miss Christine Keiser, the office clerk at the mine, handing Mr.

Cebulik his weighing slip. While this is the 5,000th truckload of coal going out of the mine, this young mining company ships more coal by rail than it does by truck, going out to Northern Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and some to Western Ontario.

Red Polled Cattle Show Remarkable Gains In Canada

H. 'Bert' Sumner of St. Albert has been re-elected as secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Red Poll Cattle Association. Mr. Sumner has set up a special office in his home in St. Albert to handle the business of this association.



"BERT" SUMNER
... St. Albert, re-elected at Regina Meeting

which is showing remarkable gains in Canada, as is its sister organization in the United States.

At the annual meeting which was held in Regina, H. L. Sweet of Morningside was re-elected honorary president. T. H. Howes of Millet was elected honorary vice-president. President is Wilmott McComb of Hayfield, Manitoba.

Among directors re-elected are Jack Livingstone and John R. Atkinson of St. Albert in addition to Mr. Sumner.

HIGH DEMAND

In his annual secretary-treasurer's report to the meeting, Mr. Sumner said that 1951 had seen an unprecedented demand for stock and producers were unable to supply the constant demand. Saskatchewan has the largest membership of any province with 79 members, a drop of nine members since the year before. This is the first year there have been more than 100 cows to qualify for the record of performance records.

The meeting passed a resolution asking the Dominion department of agriculture to relax the new regulations that require that six rather than three females be registered for record of performance records. The association opposed the new ruling on the ground that the small breeders, as many Red Poll breeders are, are unable to register that many animals.

The meeting decided to sponsor larger representation from western Canada to the Royal Winter Fair, Toronto, than formerly.

ALBERTA COAL MINES ARE HAVING A BUSY SEASON THIS WINTER

When chinook winds flow in over the mountains, and raise Alberta temperatures from 30 below to 30 above, everybody enthusiastically says "Wonderful weather we're having, isn't it?" Everyone says that — even Alberta's coal miners. But there may be a twinge of regret as they say it, and not too enthusiastically at that.

Talk about oil and gas, the coal mining industry is still one of the most important non-farming occupations in Alberta. For instance, Sundance mines of Cardiff, Alta., at the end of January had shipped their 5,000th load of "Suncole" coal since Sept. 1.

Paul H. Cote, owner and manager, says that coal is shipped to Northern Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Western Ontario besides serving customers in the Edmonton and other areas of Alberta.

Yes, business has been booming in the coal industry. There will come a slackening off in March and April but just as certain as anyone can be about anything these days, the mining men know that come October and November, cold winds will blow again and freezing fall temperatures will mean more demand for Alberta coal.

Anniversary Celebrated

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foreman, of Provost, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on December 26. They were married in 1901 at Bridport, England, and moved to the Chauvin district with their family in the pioneer days.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Foreman are enjoying good health. Mr. Foreman is well-known for the important part he played in the development of the Alberta Wheat Pool, serving as a delegate for many years.

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GRASSLAND NEWS BRIEFS

On Saturday a surprise party was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bluda, in celebration of the completion of their new home. A large number of persons attended, and a good time was had by all. Master of ceremonies was Joe Stepaniuk, assisted by Andrew Fedoriw and Bill Aleksuk. Lunches were supplied by the ladies, and other refreshments by the gentlemen guests.

Miss Ries, former District Nurse here, was in Grassland recently renewing old friendships,

and on Wednesday was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rhein at Atmore.

The improved quality of the shows at Grassland Community Hall was reflected in the increased attendance each week-end. A large crowd enjoyed the showing of "Sequoia" last week.

A birthday party was held at Mr. and Mrs. Ira McKenzie's last week. Little Garry Page was four years old, and all the tots of the district had a wonderful time.

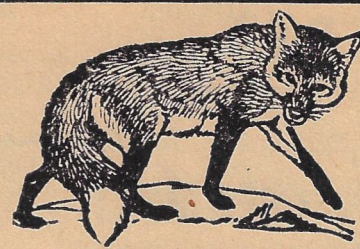
The annual meeting of the Grassland Nurses' Home Committee will be held on Tuesday, February 26, in the school. The secretary says, "Come and elect a new committee."

Card of Thanks

HUNCHAK—It is with the sincerest gratitude that we wish to express to our neighbors and friends our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes received during our recent bereavement in the loss of a loving husband and father.

—Mrs. R. Hunchak and Sons.

Another year of highway slaughter is ending. Chances are pretty good that if the toll didn't include you this past year you may be listed in the 1952 obituary.



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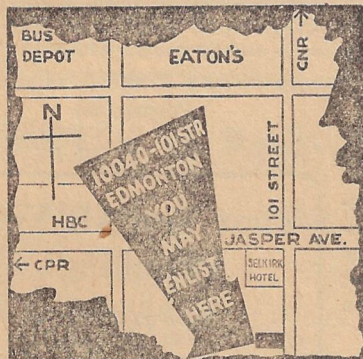
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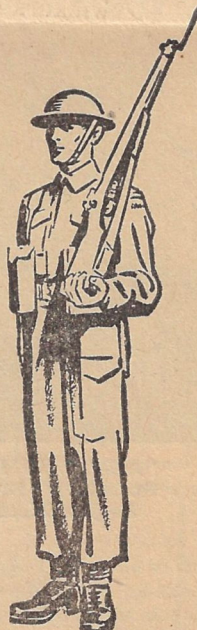


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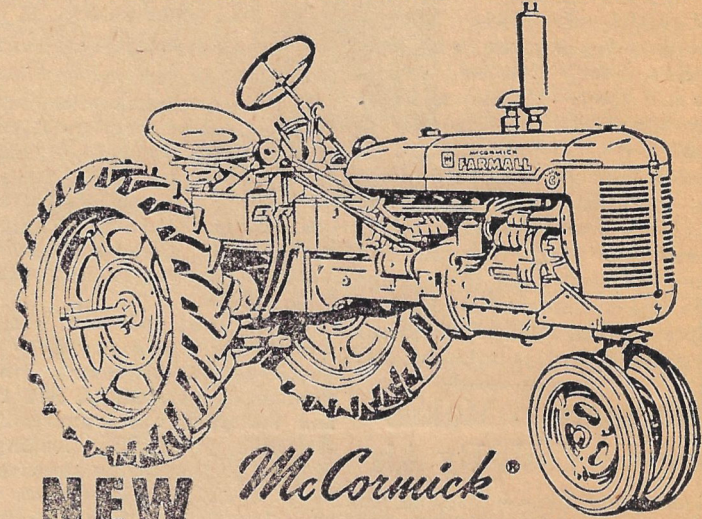
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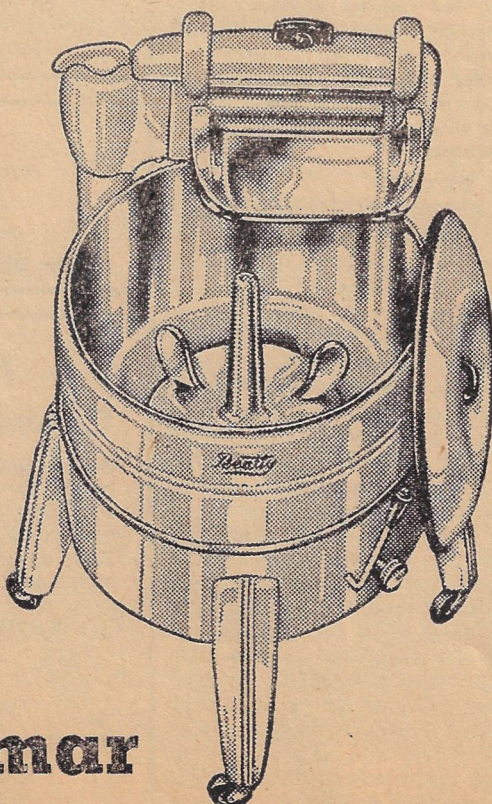
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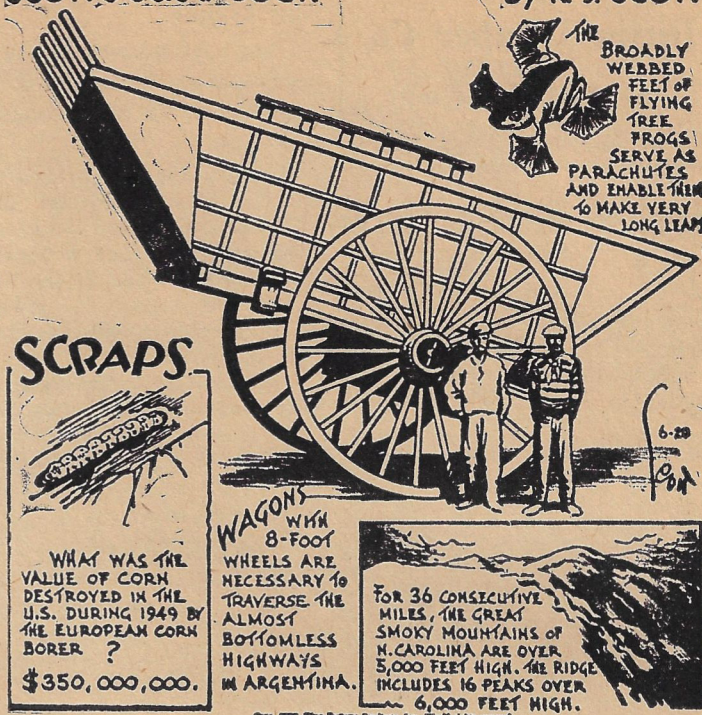
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IMPERIAL NEWS BRIEFS

Mr. Ainer Till from Union Tractor Co., Mr. Roy Cresswell and Mr. Gordon Brainard, both from Imperial Lumber Co., all of Edmonton, were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Fisher.

Mrs. Barney Arnfinson and daughter Geraldine of Camp No. 1, were visitors in Lac la Biche for a few days.

Mr. Bob Gosset of Stony Plain, and Mr. R. Plante of Legal left for their homes together last week-end. On arriving at Mr. Plante's home at Legal they found the house aflame. Mrs. Plante and her four children escaped but nothing of the household was saved.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hamelin on Friday, Jan. 25, a daughter.

Mr. Jack Adams, inspector of the Board of Industrial Relations, Edmonton, and Mr. Harold Dean, sanitary inspector of the Division of Sanitary Engineering, Lethbridge spent three days this week visiting various lumber camps in this vicinity.

IMPERIAL MILLS — Mr. Ainer Till, representative of the Union Tractor Co. of Edmonton, was host at a party for all the saw-mill operators for the Imperial Lumber Co. here. Besides having a very enjoyable evening all those present were given first hand information about Caterpillar equipment.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. G. Rogne, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hutchinson, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Fisher, Messrs. H. Livingstone, G. Westiuk, H. Campbell, G. Petrie, Bob Meshen, Van Petersen, G. Smith, F. Alexander, Roy Cresswell and G. S. Brownridge.

PLAMONDON NEWS ITEMS

The ladies of St. Anne had their regular meeting on Feb. 3 at which they gave a sum of money to purchase card tables and chairs for the entertainment of playing cards. Dates will be announced later.

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Notice to Creditors and Claimants

In the Estate of ELLEN McDERMOT, late of the Settlement of Fort McMurray, Alberta, Widow, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above-named Ellen McDermot who died on the 4th day of December, 1951, are required to file with the undersigned Executor, in care of the undersigned Solicitor, by the 11th day of March, 1952, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Executor will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed, or which have been brought to her knowledge.

DATED this 7th day of February, A.D. 1952.

ALICE WILLIAMSON, Executrix of the Estate of ELLEN McDERMOT, Deceased, by her Solicitor, J. H. OGILVIE, K.C., 200 Arcney Bldg., Edmonton, Alberta.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Richard announce the arrival of a baby boy, Feb. 2.

Octave Chevigny is in Edmonton hospital receiving medical treatment.

Louis Plamondon, Leo Bosse, Clifford Gagnon and Eugene Plamondon left for Whitecourt on Feb. 5.

Adolph Bosse was seen sleigh riding with the young folks on Feb. 4.

Mrs. Charles Johnson spent a few days in Lac la Biche hospital.

Phil Johnson is sporting a new Studebaker truck.

Mary Stratton is employed at the home of Philip Plamondon, Jr.

CUMULATIVE RECORD CARDS

BOYLE — Cumulative Record Cards and how to use these effectively, was the subject of discussion at a recent meeting of the Boyle Sub-local, ATA.

These cards are provided by the Department of Education under the supervision of the Guidance Branch. Each student from grades 1 to 12 has a card which is kept up-to-date by his home room teacher. When the child leaves his present school, the card may follow him. This provides a valuable source of information to the new teacher.

The cumulative record card, when completed, has a scholarship record of the student from grades one to twelve. The child's record in various standardized tests, his interests and activities throughout his school career, as well as his health record are part of the information provided. Personality development under such traits as self-respect, creativeness, co-operation, courtesy are assessed on this card.

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Temperature Report

LAC LA BICHE—All temperatures during the past week remained above zero.

Feb.	Min.	Max.
2	12.3	23.9
3	6.7	31.2
4	3.7	32.9
5	13.0	32.9
6	20.8	36.9
7	10.0	26.2
8	19.1	34.0

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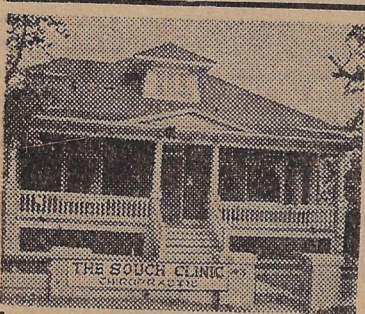


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6.00 3.50	1.75 WL Ckl 6.00 3.50	1.75 6.00 3.50
21.00 11.00	5.25 NH Pull 22.50 11.75	6.00 21.00 11.00
36.00 18.50	9.25 NH Pull 38.00 19.50	10.00 36.00 18.50
18.00 9.50	5.00 NH Ckl 18.00 9.50	5.00 18.00 9.50
22.00 11.50	5.75 B Rock 23.50 12.25	6.50 22.00 11.50
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36.00 18.50	9.75 WLxNH Pull 37.00 19.00	9.75 36.00 18.50
10.00 5.50	3.00 WLxNH Ckl 10.00 5.50	3.00 10.00 5.50
22.00 11.50	5.75 NHxBR 23.00 12.00	6.00 22.00 11.50
37.00 19.00	9.75 NHxBR Pull 38.00 19.50	9.75 37.00 19.00
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this case? As far as the brides-
maids are concerned, does the
bride provide their headdresses
and bouquets? Is it necessary
for bridesmaids to have corsages?
Who pins on the corsages for the
bride and groom. The last ques-
tion is, if the bride's gown has a
long train can she have a floor
length veil also?

Please advise me in this case.

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I change my post office or have
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Answer:

This is hardly a question that
I can answer for you. Both the
Post Office Department and the
Pensions Department are only too
anxious to see that you get your
cheque, but I suggest you write
to your local member of parlia-
ment in Ottawa for further in-
formation.

LOUISA.

Dear Louisa:

I am a girl of 20 years. I have
been going with a guy for two
years now, and love him very
much. He is four years older than
I am, but we seem to get along
very well. He is very good to me
and has treated me like a wife.
The only disagreement we have
between us is that he has a
different religion than I have.
I told him I would turn to his
religion, but he is undecided, as
he feels our marriage wouldn't
be successful in a case like this.
What do you think about it?

SUSIE.

Answer:

If you are truly converted to
the faith of your fiance, there is
no reason why your marriage
couldn't be a success. However,
if you make the change in religion
simply because you want to marry
this man it will end in disaster.
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conversion to the new faith. You
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and with a few words of apology,
walked away, while I was left
standing embarrassed.

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E. B.

As a young bride on the farm
I usually lit the fire in the morn-
ing while my husband did the
morning chores. Often he would
knock on the door to fool me.
One morning I was standing before
the stove in my night dress and
heard the familiar rap on the
door. I answered "Come in" and
the door opened but it wasn't
my husband! It was a young man,
a stranger who had just moved
into the district. I was certainly
embarrassed by him seeing me in
my night gown!

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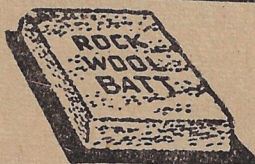
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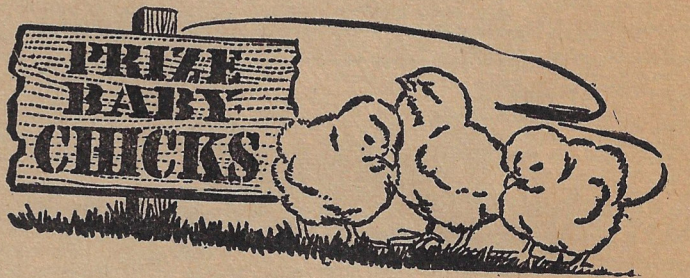
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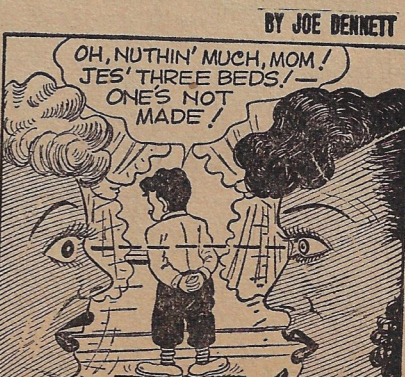


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LAC LA BICHE MISSION NEWS BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Heric Marchildon visited Sunday at Mr. Alfred Beaudoin. They were accompanied by Mrs. J. L. Tardif.

Mr. Louis Uliac from Gourin was here on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boniface Bourque from Yellowknife visited Mrs. G. Verelsghe and the Boniface families.

Mrs. Pamarleau from Edmonton was here Sunday visiting relatives and friends.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Vital Boucher, a baby girl.

Miss Jeanne Cloutier she is back home for the winter.

Hilaire and Roger Ladouceur have a new car.

Renie Ladouceur has a new half-ton truck.

George Ladouceur caught a Jumbo jack fish weighing 25 lbs.

Mr. A. Bourrassa and family were here on business this week.

Mr. Jack Inkes is back from the University hospital after he had had three operations.

Edward Hogan has returned home, having spent a few days in Edmonton with his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boulanger were here Thursday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Trudeau from At-

more visited their son at the Mission school.

Emelia and Paul Tardif are staying at the convent.

Emile Tardif is going to Lac la Biche high school. He is staying with his sister, Odelie.

Hospital Report

LAC LA BICHE—Patients in St. Catherine's hospital, week ending February 8 included:

Miss Olga Purich, Wandering River; Mrs. Michael Ustina, Frains; Miss Carol Coulter, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Herve Marchildon, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Metro Trifananko and baby, Wandering River; Mr. William Cherniwchan and Dennis, Frains; Mrs. Francis Hadley, Grassland; Carrie Letourneau, Lac la Biche; Baby Vincent, Lac la Biche; Loretta Evans, Rich Lake; Mr. John Ostachuk, Imperial Mills; Bertha Boucher, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Arsene Duperron, Amesbury; Miss Evelyn Lemay, Lac la Biche; Mr. George Duperron, Berny; Baby Stuparek, Lac la Biche; Mr. Ken Bergeson, Lac la Biche; Lawrence Boucher, Lac la Biche; Jerome Lebouf, Egg Lake; Mr.

Anthony Zilenski, Boyle; Steve Ewanchuk, Big Bay; Mr. Raymond Hamila, Rich Lake; Mr. Louis Peltier, Lac la Biche; Miss Shirley Harmata, Boyle; Miss Rita Peltier, Lac la Biche.

Births: To Mr. and Mrs. George Richard, Plamondon, a son on Feb. 2; To Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Pare, Egg Lake, a daughter on Feb. 3; To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Anderson, Lac la Biche, a son on Feb. 4; To Mr. and Mrs. Alex Onischuk, Grandin, a son on Feb. 6.

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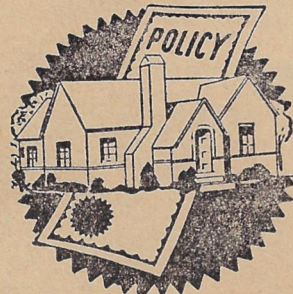
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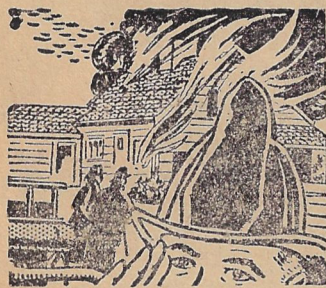


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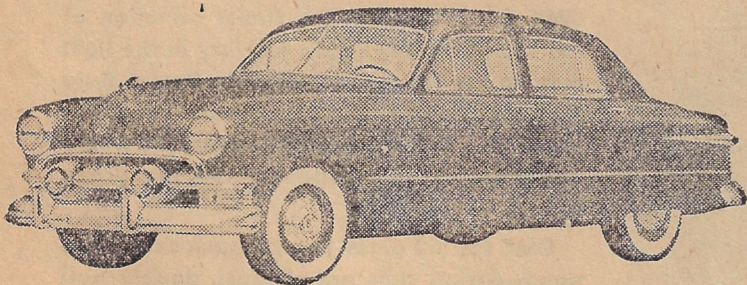
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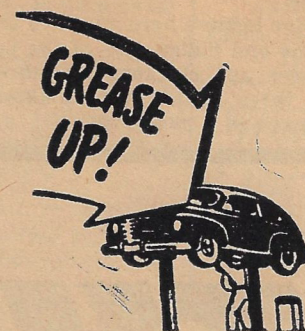
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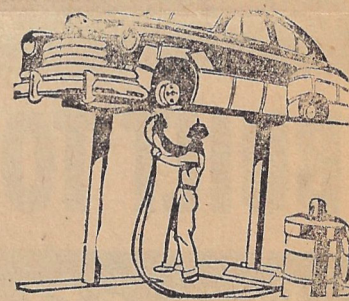
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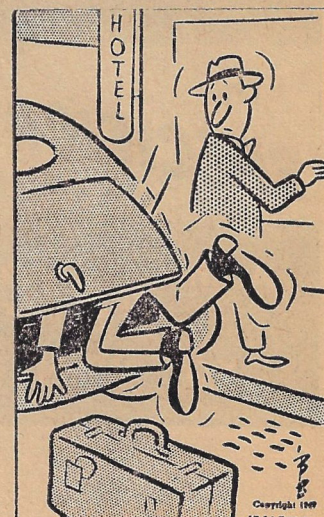
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Winter lodgers here, much to the surprise and indignation of the usual cows and chickens, are three lions, three bears, five monkeys, occasionally puts on a show for visitors, who claim that Clyde

The animals are the property of Kenneth Hill, 46, who left his home in Langton, Ont., 19 years ago to travel west, where he joined a circus.

Hill, a brother of Mrs. Goring, occasionally puts on a show for visitors, who claim that Clyde

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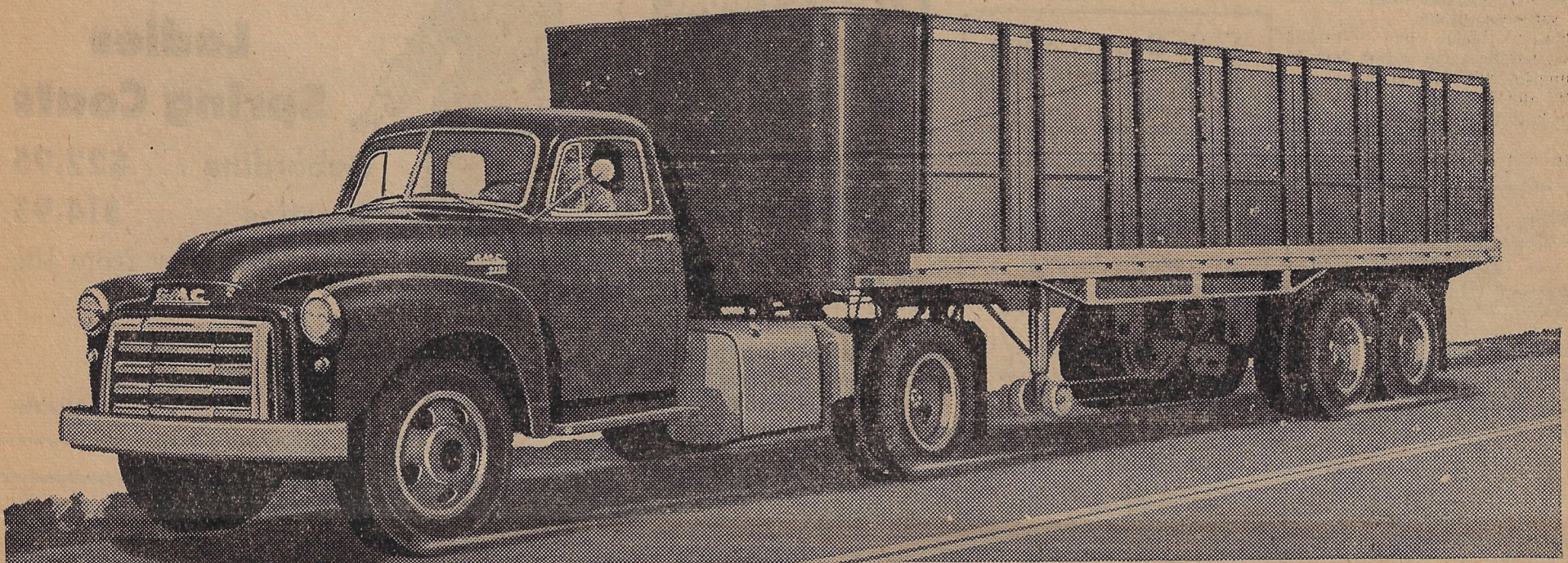
Without the usual props employed by animal trainers, such as blank pistols, chairs and whips, Hill permits one of the lions to place his head in her jaws.

The female lions, Pamela, Goldie

and Sherry, were born in captivity in London, England, 15 months ago.

Hill, who says that such animals seldom have been quartered in Canada in winter, hopes to present a series of shows in the province next spring with his menagerie.

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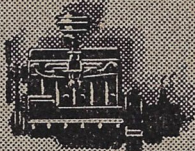
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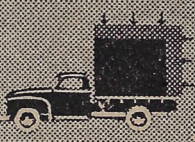
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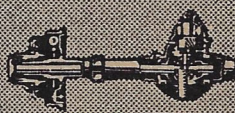
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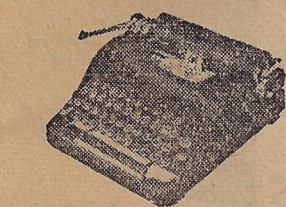
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Getting Even

Yells from the nursery brought the mother, who found the baby gleefully pulling small Billy's curls. "Never mind darling," she confronted. "Baby doesn't know how it hurts."

Half an hour later wild shrieks from the baby made her run again to the nursery. "Why, Billy!" she cried. "What's the matter with the baby?"

"Nothing, muzzer," said Billy, calmly, "only now he knows."

The Reason

A young woman took a job as a governess, then suddenly left it. Asked why she resigned, she said: "Had to. Backward child, forward father."

Good Question

Little Sue was all eyes at the fashionable church wedding.

"Did the lady change her mind?" she whispered to her mother.

"No, dear. What makes you think so?"

"Cause she went up the aisle with one man and came back with another."

About 11:30 P.M.

She: My father takes things apart to see why they don't go.

He: So what?

She: So you'd better go.

How True

Boy: "What do you call a man that drives a car?"

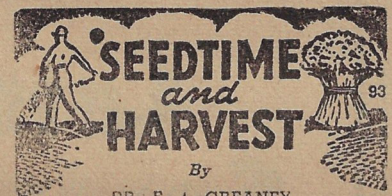
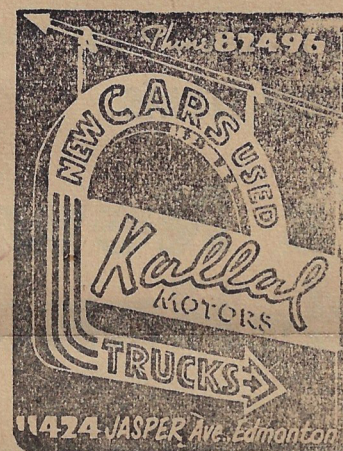
Dad: "It depends on just how close he comes to me."

Believes Local Papers Should Be Read First

Residents of small communities should read their local newspapers first, their district papers second and then branch out to the larger city dailies. This is the considered opinion of Prof. Wild of the Department of Journalism at the University of Western Ontario. Speaking before the Delhi Kinsmen Club, the professor said readers in small communities couldn't expect to get much worthwhile information about their own districts in the large dailies. The speaker added that while reading an article a reader should be able to tell whether the writer used real facts or simply rumors.

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Damp Grain—Its Seed Value

Germination tests already completed by the Line Elevators Farm Service on more than 7,000 farmers' seed-grain samples emphasize the following points with respect to the value of damp grain for seed.

Delayed Germination. An unusually large amount of damp grain is being held on western farms this winter for seed. Damp grain presents a real germination problem. Owing to the fact that high moisture content is associated with delayed germination (strong seed dormancy), seed-grain stored under damp conditions in the farm bin will not germinate satisfactorily until warm Spring weather occurs. However, if a farmer's grain is reasonably dry, containing less than 16% moisture, a germination test made this winter will give a reliable indication of its ability to germinate in the Spring, and hence its true value for seeding purposes.

Recommendations. The germination tests made by this Department strongly support the following official recommendations with respect to the use of damp grain for seed: (1) Wheat, Oats and Barley containing more than 16% moisture or Flax with over 12½% moisture should not be used for seed. (2) No farmer should rely on securing "good" seed from grain crops that will remain unthreshed until Spring. (3) Under no circumstances should heated, "moldy", or otherwise damaged, or "out-of-condition" grain be used for seed. (4) Any grain that has been dried by artificial means should be tested for germination, as artificial drying is likely to seriously injure its germinability.

Play Safe. Every farmer in Western Canada should make sure the grain he plans on using for seed this Spring germinates satisfactorily. If you have to secure new seed, play safe and order your seed requirements now. Farmers who are compelled to use damp grain for seed should seek advice on its use from their local Agricultural Representative, or the Plant Science or Field Husbandry Department of their University.

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A little girl went to visit her aunt and to see the tiny baby that had just arrived. During the visit her aunt remarked that this baby would be their last and she was going to be spoiled.

On the way home the little girl said to her mother, "You know, Mummy, I don't think Auntie likes her baby. She says she won't have another and she doesn't care if this one does spoil."

L. D. Rockyford.

While having dinner my five-year-old sister who was sitting beside me, tried to reach the bread but couldn't. She said: "Crawl over there, Mary, and get the bread over here."

MARY BLATZ. Daysland.

One day while visiting us our little two-year-old granddaughter was rapping rather sharply on a window. As we adore her, she was very surprised when my husband spoke sharply and said "Don't do that!" She answered, "Grannie never said so." He replied, "No—but I did." Shortly afterwards she climbed up on the chesterfield and cuddled up to me and asked seriously: "What's the matter of grandpa?"

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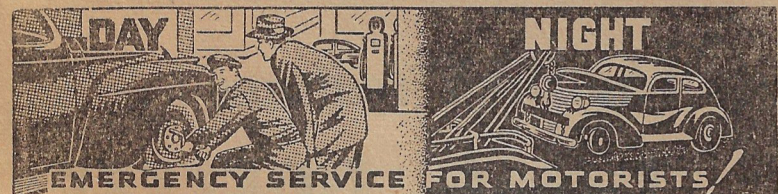
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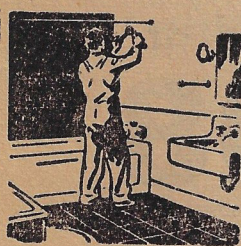
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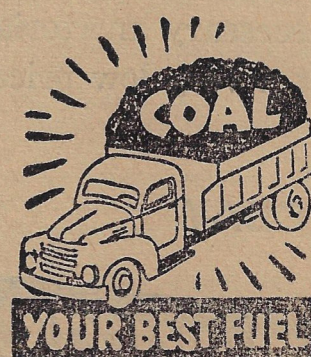
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Local Boy Shoots Winning Goal

LAC LA BICHE—Dave Gordichuk of Lac la Biche, presently attached to the Moose Jaw Canucks Junior Hockey team of Saskatchewan, playing in the Western Junior A Circuit, is highlighted by all

hockey enthusiasts in the district. After trying out with the Edmonton Oil Kings he went on his own to participate in the all-Canadian professional hockey school. Immediately he was asked to sign a contract with the Moose Jaw squad.

Dave gave a good performance against Edmonton on February 5,

when he tied the game and then made the winning goal which saw Edmonton lose with a score of 4 to 3. Dave made two goals and one assist in this combat.

The sixteen-year-old boy, sec-

ond son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Gordichuk of Lac la Biche, will be playing in Edmonton on the 21st of this month at the Gardens against the Edmonton Oil Kings.

Dave's hockey experience orig-

inated with the Willingdon Monarchs. In 1949 the Monarchs took the Alberta B championship. His brother Wally, also of Lac la Biche, was a member of the championship team.

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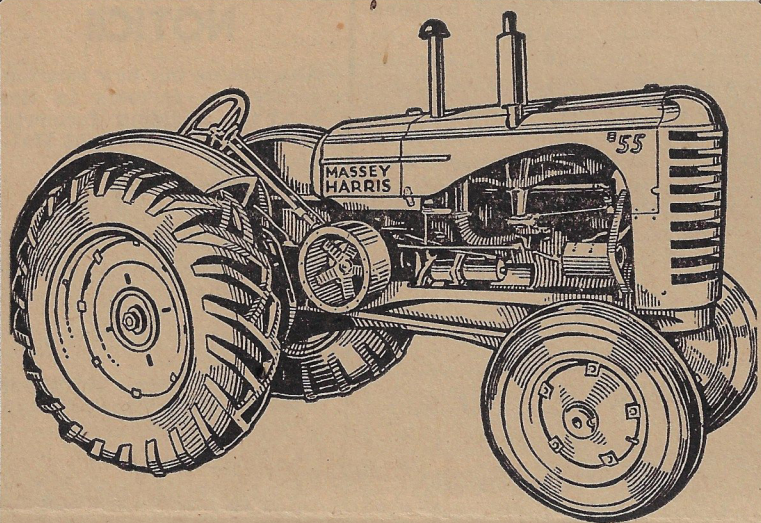
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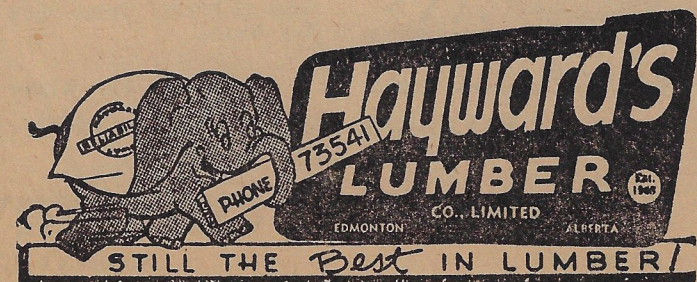
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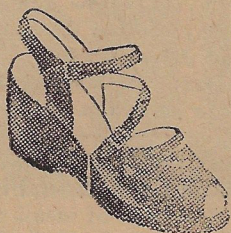


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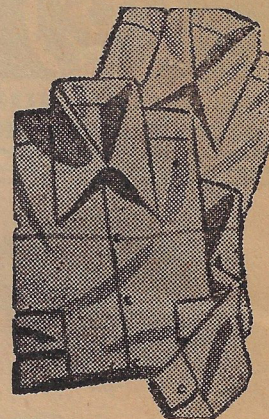
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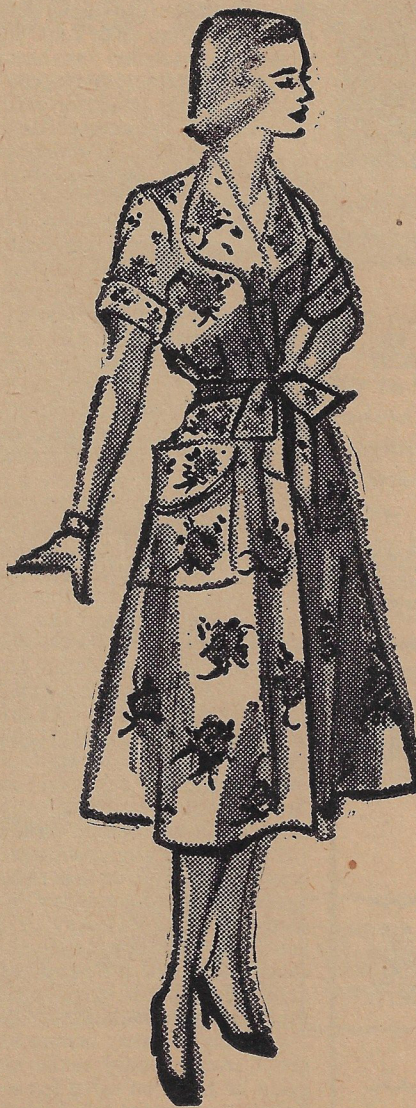
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